Jerome H. Mooney, center, signs record two million dollar agreement as William J. Nobriga, left, Hilo, Hawaii, and B. A. Weight of Salt Lake Real Estate Board look on.

New Sales Mark Recorded By Multiple Listing Service

Sales recorded by the Multiple Listing Service of the Salt Lake Real Estate Board soared to a record high of three and a half million dollars this week.

THE BIG PUSH CAME from purchase of 4,000 acres of wooded land on the island of Hawaii at two million dollar cost by a group of 30 Utah residents headed by Jerome H. Mooney, president of Mooney Real Estate Inc. and E. J. Jordan, Heber rancher.

The sellers were the Orchid Isle Land Co. of Hilo, whose president is William J. Nobriga.

The land, just 18 miles from Hilo, the state's second largest city, is to be subidivided for the construction of homes and businesses.

SALESMAN LAFE MORLEY handled the transaction, which of itself was biggest in the multiple listing service records.

The $3,587,800 total for the week was about one million dollars higher than the previous volume record, said W. Meeks Wirthlin, board president.